

Proclamation



City of Waco

WHEREAS, In 2017, the House of Representatives passed House Resolution 558 naming October 7th National Trigeminal Neuralgia (TN) Awareness Day; and

WHEREAS, TN is pain linked to the trigeminal nerve which can be felt in many parts of your face; lips, eyes, nose, scalp, forehead, upper jaw and/or lower jaw; and

WHEREAS, This painful condition is relatively rare affecting 4.3 per 100,000 people per year; and

WHEREAS, The day promotes advancing the cause of research to help find a cure as well as aiming to raise awareness to improve diagnosis and treatment procedures; and

WHEREAS, TN Awareness Day has a fantastic team behind its campaign, with lots of suggestions to help organize events and raise awareness; and

WHEREAS, The observance encourages everyone to wear teal in support of those who suffer from this debilitating condition; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Dillon Meek, Mayor of the City of Waco, do hereby proclaim October 7th, 2022, as:

“INTERNATIONAL TRIGEMINAL NEURALGIA AWARENESS DAY”

in the City of Waco, and urge all citizens to join with City Council, City staff, and me in supporting the 10th International Trigeminal Neuralgia Awareness Day and encourage friends and family to wear something teal.

In testimony whereof, witness my hand and the Seal of the City of Waco this 7th day of October, A.D., 2022.

Dillon Meek
Mayor

Andrea J. Barefield
Council Member, District I

Kelly Palmer
Mayor Pro-Tem, District IV

Josh Borderud
Council Member, District III

Alice Rodriguez
Council Member, District II

Jim Holmes
Council Member, District V

Attest:

Michelle Hicks
City Secretary

